

WOULD MAKE A JOINT APPEAL TO FREE DEBS

Denver, Col., July 21.—Parley Christensen, the farmer-col. presidential candidate, telegraphed Senator Harding, the Republican nominee, and Governor Cox, the Democratic nominee, suggesting they all join in a demand upon the president to immediately release Eugene V. Debs from prison.

DRAFT EVADER HAS GIVEN HIMSELF UP IN NEW YORK

New York, July 21.—Edwin Bergdoll, younger half brother of Cleveland Bergdoll who disappeared from Philadelphia two years ago, and who has been sought on a charge of draft evasion, today surrendered at Governor's Island. Judge James Roemig of Philadelphia, who is under indictment in connection with Cleveland's escape, a personal friend of the family, surrendered with Edwin.

CHAMP CLARK'S OLD "BLACK MAMMY" HAS PASSED AWAY

Joplin, Mo., July 21.—"Auntie Susan" Clark, negro woman who, during slave time, was owned by the family of Champ Clark and who was nurse to the Missouri congressman, when he was a baby, died here several days ago. She was 98 years old. "Auntie Susan" was a trusted slave and, it is a matter of record that during Civil War days she was given the task of hiding the Clark jewels. These she concealed in a garden, and it is said, she prevented the union soldiers from finding the treasure. She made three trips to Europe with the Clark family and when they moved to Missouri she came with them.

ANOTHER OIL WELL IN GRIMES COUNTY

Another test well, with what is claimed good surface indications for oil, is to be drilled at Appolonia, Grimes county, near the Montgomery county line, by the Cleve-Tex Oil Co. of Cleveland, Ohio. The well is to be spudded in about July 21st and will be drilled 4,000 feet if necessary. The location was made by D. J. Williams of the company named. He is an experienced driller and oil man and will have entire charge of operations.

YOUR UNCLE SAM HAS FIGHTING MEN AT SEA

Washington, July 21.—For Uncle Sam's Marines the fighting is never at an end. While the Great War and their part in it is history, they still are busy in the far corners of the world settling small disturbances, guarding government property and awaiting any eventuality. In Haiti and San Domingo nearly 4,000 "Devil Dogs," as the Germans came to call them after Belleau Wood, are maintaining order and bringing recalcitrant bands to justice. It is not a "play" job by any means and at times lately it has assumed the proportions of real war. Casualty lists are not lacking and almost every week there come to headquarters here the names of "leathernecks" killed or wounded in clashes with bandits and revolutionaries.

In China the legation guard of 275 marines at Peking is ever prepared for any emergency and for a time recently it appeared that they would be forced into action against Chinese revolutionists who were threatening to attack the Chinese capital.

In Nicaragua another legation guard is maintained, while the marines are aboard American warships in Mexican waters prepared on short notice to protect American lives and property should their services be required. In Haiti, the corps is represented by 1,700 officers and men in two small regiments comprising the first provisional brigade. The brigade is commanded by Colonel J. H. Russell and the two regiments by Colonels L. M. Little and R. C. Berkeley. Of late conditions in Haiti have quieted down to some extent.

TRYING TO PREVENT FORCING DOWN OF COTTONSEED PRICES

Austin, Texas, July 21.—Efforts of cottonseed buyers to force farmers to sell their seed for \$25 a ton or less have been discovered by the State Department of Agriculture, which is receiving reports from South Texas points where cotton picking is already in progress.

The State Department of Agriculture in a statement concerning this matter said:

"While crude domestic oil, owing to heavy importation of foreign oils, is somewhat lower than last year, the difference does not begin to justify the attempt to start the market so low."

"Cottonseed should be worth, on a comparative basis with the price of other feedstuffs, at least \$50 a ton merely for feeding purposes. Of course, buyers do not expect reasonably to secure much cottonseed at such price as \$25 per ton, but being aware that so few farmers are fixed for cottonseed storage they know from past experience that they will get some seed at the outset for whatever price may be offered."

NEW FARM IDEA TO CHECK EXODUS

Tyler, Tex., July 21.—Believing that if the exodus from the farm to the city is permanently checked there must be an improvement in the living conditions of the rural districts, the East Texas Chamber of Commerce at Tyler is proposing a "family farm" that will serve this purpose as well as the purpose of solving the farm labor problem.

This effort to colonize energetic and thrifty farmers on small farms, with each having only that amount of land which he and his family can profitably plant, cultivate and harvest, has touched a responsive chord in the heart of many trained farmers who were lured into the cities by the tempting high wages of war times and the many home conveniences now enjoyed in the rural districts, and thousands of landless men are writing to inquire about the plan and how they may acquire such a home for their families.

TO SOLVE TENANT PROBLEM

The "family farm" idea was originated through the necessity of planters in this and other regions of the agricultural district having to let land lay out during the present year because there were no tenants. More than a thousand East Texas farms were not cultivated this year and many of the planters who attempted to cultivate their farms with hired help have found it unprofitable.

On the other hand the man with just enough acres for himself and family to tend has made money, and if living conditions were improved, would be happy and contented.

These things being true it is but good business on the part of the community builders to encourage the small farms and strive to make life in the country worth while. The "family farm" that this organization is proposing is with a modern bungalow house, a roomy yard, barns and outbuildings, lots, a garden, orchard and cow pasture. Screens and paint will add to the beauty and convenience of the home. Grouping these homes would make it possible to maintain lighting plants and water works that would give a bath and kitchen sink in each little home. It is co-operation of the people as a whole that brings the many conveniences to the town home.

WILL ENCOURAGE PROGRESS

The community betterment idea carries with it all the needed changes such as improved roads, better schools, pure-bred livestock, trucking, dairying and marketing. Successful diversification must be followed by standardization of products and scientific marketing if the demand of the hour for a greater production is met. There will be no greater production unless the produce can be marketed at a profit to the grower. When we learn to market profitably—when we learn to work together, town and country co-operating, to establish a practical marketing system, then will the problem of greater production be solved. This purpose may best be accomplished through co-operative selling associations.

\$14.50 CAPITAL SCHOOL FUND

Austin, Tex., July 21.—An apportionment of the available school fund for the next scholastic year was made late yesterday by the state board of education.

The per capita apportionment is \$14.50, based on a division of \$18,700,995 for 253,110 scholastic. This is the largest apportionment yet made.

The apportionment for each child in Texas for education was \$7.50 for the year when I went into the governor's office," said Governor Hobby, and it increases that apportionment to \$14.50 for the next scholastic year is the proudest act of my administration."

THE TEXAS FARMERS CONGRESS PROGRAM

Place of meeting: A. and M. College, College Station.

State Experiment Association. Officers for 1919-20: C. B. McDowell, Denton, president; E. G. LeStourgeon, San Antonio, vice president; A. S. Ware, College Station, secretary-treasurer; A. B. Connor, College Station, executive committee member to Farmers' Congress.

Monday, August 9, 1920, 2 P. M.

Co-operative Experiments in Growing Seed of Cowpeas and Peanuts, G. T. McDowell, superintendent, Texas Substation No. 11, Nacogdoches, Texas.

Co-operative Here Bull, J. B. McNulty, Co-operative Husbandman, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. and M. College of Texas, College Station.

The Texas Experiment Association as a Means of Distribution of Superior Strains Among Farmers, A. R. Leidigh, Agronomist, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. and M. College of Texas, College Station.

Value of Testing Plant Seed for Purity and Germination, Grace M. Cole, Seed Analyst, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. and M. College of Texas, College Station. Discussions.

Tuesday, August 10, 1920, 9 A. M.

Future Possibilities in Cotton Breeding, E. P. Humbert, Chief, Division of Plant Breeding, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. and M. College of Texas, College Station.

First-year Distribution of Spur Fertilizer and Results, A. K. Short, Agronomist, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. and M. College of Texas, College Station.

The Present Extent of the Pure Seed Work of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, R. E. Karper, superintendent, Texas Substation No. 8, Lubbock, Texas.

Business meeting and adjournment.

Field Crop Association Program.

Field Crop Association, president, and A. W. R. Starr, College Station, temporary secretary. Place of meeting, A. and M. College Station.

First Session, Monday, August 9, 2 P. M.

President's Annual Address, W. B. Carr, College Station.

Report of Secretary-Treasurer, A. K. Short, College Station; Pasture Crops for Texas, 20 minutes; A. D. Suttle, College Station. Discussions. Simple Cotton, 20 minutes; J. B. Beers, College Station. Discussions.

Adaptability of Wheat Varieties for Texas, 20 minutes; A. H. Leidigh, College Station.

Discussion and appointment of committees.

Second Session, Tuesday, August 10, 9 A. M.

Adaptability of Cotton Varieties, 20 minutes; Dr. E. P. Humbert, College Station.

Field Selection as a Method of Field Crop Improvement, 20 minutes; J. D. Tinsley, G. C. & S. F. Railway, Galveston, Texas.

Adaptability of Grain Sorghum Varieties, 10 minutes; R. E. Karper, Lubbock, Texas.

Crop Rotation for Texas, 20 minutes; Dr. J. O. Morgan, College Station. Discussion.

Third Session, Tuesday, August 10, 2 P. M.

Progress in Fighting Cotton Rot, 15 minutes; Dr. J. J. Taubennaus, College Station.

Poisoning for Cotton Insects, 15 minutes; Dr. M. C. Tanquary, College Station. Discussion.

Cotton Web Worm, 10 minutes; J. H. Reinhardt, College Station.

Election of officers, reports of committees, business session.

Texas Dairyman's Association.

Below is the program of the Texas Dairyman's Association. The officers are: W. E. Johnson, Beaumont, president; J. L. Thomas, College Station, secretary.

Place of meeting: A. and M. College, College Station.

First Session, Monday, August 9th, 2 P. M.

Address of Welcome, M. Evans, College Station. Response, B. R. Nelson, Taylor. Annual Address of President, W. E. Johnson, Beaumont. Report of Secretary, J. L. Thomas, College Station. Sweet and Sour Milk, 10 minutes; W. B. Lowry, Houston.

Second Session, Tuesday, August 10th, 9 A. M.

Milk Production Costs, Feed, Labor and Overhead, W. A. Cox, San Antonio. Influence of Quality of Cow on Production Costs, J. B. McNulty, Texas Experiment Station, College Station. Sweet and Sour Milk, 10 minutes; C. H. McDowell, Texas Experiment Station, Denton.

Third Session, Tuesday, August 10, 2 P. M.

Reports of committees. Election of officers. Round-table discussions. Silos, Hay Crops, Her Improvement, Surplus Milk and Calf Raising.

Texas Poultry Association.

Below is the program of the Texas Poultry Raisers' Association. Officers: J. Harry Kettle, Dallas, president; F. W. Kazmier, College Station, secretary; W. Burton, Arlington, treasurer.

Place of meeting: A. and M. College, College Station. Monday morning, August 9th, general sessions Texas Farmers' Congress.

First Session, Monday, August 9, 2 P. M.

2:30 to 3:00 p. m.—Demonstration. Selecting the Best Layers from the Poor Layers, by F. W. Kazmier, Poultry Husbandman, Extension Service, A. and M. College.

3:00 to 4:00 p. m.—Feed and Care on Farm Poultry Flock by T. J. Conway, Associate Professor of Poultry Husbandry, A. and M. College, College Station.

Second Session, Tuesday, August 10, 9 A. M.

Study of Digestive System, Poultry Diseases, Poultry Vermin, by R. M. Shriver, Poultry Husbandman, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Poultry Keeping for Women, by Mayme Hazel, Poultry Specialist, Extension Service, A. and M. College.

Publicable Discussion, led by F. W. Kazmier.

Third Session, Tuesday, August 10, 2 P. M.

Visit College Poultry Farm and National Egg Laying Contest, Meet in Poultry Lecture Room.

Visit Poultry Experiment Station.

Truck Growers' Association.

Below is the program of the Texas Truck Growers' Association. Officers are: W. G. Fields, Harlingen, president, and C. W. Goodman, Houston, temporary secretary. Place of meeting: A. and M. College, College Station.

First Session, Monday, August 9, 2 P. M.

Successfully Growing Sweet Potatoes and Operating Curing Plants, I. W. Turner, Longview.

Successfully Growing and Shipping Lettuce, Mr. Shafer, San Benito.

How I Grow and Grade Onions, Jack W. Ward, Pearland.

How Best to Build Up Our State Truck and Fruit Associations, President Will G. Fields, Harlingen.

Second Session, Tuesday, August 10, 9 A. M.

Benefits to Be Derived from the State Inspection of Fruits and Vegetables, T. Minter, Director of Markets, Austin.

State Marketing Agent, Sam H. Dixon, Chief Marketing Agent, Austin.

Third Session, Tuesday, August 10, 2 P. M.

Co-operation Between the Selling Agents and the Benefits to Be Derived, A. L. Brooks.

Successful Growing of Irish Potatoes in South Texas, Jim Minter, San Benito. Business session and election of officers.

Texas Honey Association.

Below is the program of the 25th annual session of the Texas Honey Producers' Association, to be held at College Station, Texas, August 9, 10 and 11, 1920. The officers are as follows:

E. G. LeStourgeon, San Antonio, president; E. W. Burleson, Waxahatche, vice president; Alma M. Hasselbauer, San Antonio, secretary-treasurer; T. P. Robinson, Bartlett, superintendent fair exhibits; J. B. King, Batesville, executive committee; H. A. McCarty, Dallas; Louis Biediger, La Crosse; L. H. Scholl, New Braunfels; E. G. LeStourgeon; San Antonio, Alma M. Hasselbauer, San Antonio; T. W. Burleson, Waxahatche.

First Session, Monday 2 P. M., Aug. 9.

Call to order by president, E. G. LeStourgeon. Invocation by Rev. Jno. W. Pharr of Loring. Annual report of president, E. G. LeStourgeon. Report of secretary-treasurer, Alma M. Hasselbauer. Appointment of committees. Report of delegate to national conference, W. C. Collier of Galveston. Interstate keeping, W. O. Victor of Uvalde. Discussion by members.

Second Session, Tuesday 9:30 A. M., August 10th.

Beeking Literature, Louis H. Scholl, of New Braunfels. The Status of the Apisary Inspection Work, Dr. M. C. Tanquary, State Entomologist, College Station. The State Experiment Apisary, J. N. Mayes of Dilley. The Course in Beekeeping at A. and M. College, Prof. S. W. Keeling, College Station. Side-line Beekeeping, Ambrose Johnson of Laredo, Texas. Discussion by members.

Third Session, Tuesday 2 P. M., 1920.

The Complete Package Bee Business, E. B. Ault, Callahan. The American Honey Producers League, E. G. LeStourgeon. Economic Aspects of Agriculture, R. R. Ripport, Extension Entomologist, College Station. Our Apisary Systems and Management, Arthur S. Sternberg, Lockhart, Texas. Report of committees. Election of officers.

Fourth Session, Wednesday 2 P. M., August 11th.

Field meet at the Experiment Station Apisary under the direction of H. B. Parks, State Apiculturist, with practical demonstrations of Colony Manipulation by C. S. Rude, State Inspector of Apisaries.

Texas Farm Association.

Below is the program of the Texas Farm Management Association, August 9, 10 and 11, College Station, Texas. The officers are: I. M. Cook, Bryan, president, and M. M. Daugherty, College Station, temporary secretary.

First Session, Monday, August 9th, 2 P. M.

Social Aspects of Land Tenancy, P. F. Brown, Rural Economist, Extension Service, A. and M. College, College Station.

Keeping Good Tenants, Schuyler Marshall, Gorman.

Tendencies in Agricultural Tenantry in Texas, P. B. Clark, Professor of Economics, A. and M. College.

Second Session, Tuesday, August 10, 9 A. M.

Note—This session will be held at a joint session with the Texas Experiment Association in the room assigned to that organization.

Third Session, Tuesday, August 10, 2 P. M.

Farm Tractors in Texas, M. M. Daugherty, Farm Management Specialist, A. and M. College.

Labor Distribution and Farm Profits, J. W. Elliot, Rural Economist, A. and M. College.

Government Investigation on Cost of Raising Cotton, P. K. Whelpton, Professor of Farm Management, A. and M. College.

Election of officers.

JACK JOHNSON HAS SURRENDERED TO U. S. AUTHORITIES

San Diego, Cal., July 21.—Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion, crossed the international boundary line from Mexico near here and was arrested Tuesday by a deputy United States marshal. Johnson is under sentence in Chicago for violation of the Mann act.

Johnson, who has been residing in Tia Juana, Mexico, several months, rode in an automobile to the Mexican side of the boundary. He shook hands with several Mexican officials, walked to the American customs house, presented his passports and stepped across the line.

Deputy United States Marshal Geo. Cooley and Dave Gershon, special agent of the department of justice, were waiting for the pugilist and placed him under arrest as he entered the United States.

When arrested Johnson grinned and said: "All right, but say, it is sure good to get back in the United States again."

JIM E. FERGUSON COMMENTS ON NEW THIRD PARTY

Temple, Tex., July 21.—Lack of harmony, unity and knowledge of national affairs will mark the downfall of the newly created Farmer-Labor party as a permanent national body, according to Former Governor Jas. E. Ferguson.

Farmer-Labor candidate for president, is a type that "would please the rank and file of the country, however," Mr. Ferguson added. "He is a broad-minded man and knows national affairs," the former governor said.

Mr. Ferguson, who is presidential candidate of the American Party of Texas, attended some of the meetings which resulted in formation of the new political party at Chicago. With several other Texas delegates he finally refused to affiliate with the party.

"The Farmer-Labor party reminds me of a newly married couple moving into a 22-room house and trying to arrange it just to themselves," said Mr. Ferguson. There is plenty of room for improvement.

"To begin with, the leaders did not outline any systematic platform. They favored government ownership of railroads, but were unable to give any suggestions on how the government was to take the roads back again. They stood divided on the prohibition issue. The truth of the whole matter is they did not know national politics."

"There were some very broad-minded men present, but the majority of them were provincial in their ideas. The party probably will be a factor in local or perhaps state politics, but it will never get anywhere as a national organization."

CONFERENCE ON WAGE INCREASE RESUMED TODAY

Chicago, July 21.—Danger of an immediate strike of railway workers was apparently dissipated when two thousand representatives of the sixteen railroad crafts resumed their conference over the wage increase of the Railway Labor Board today. There was less dissatisfaction, and an apparent desire for serious deliberation and peaceful solution was manifested by the union men. Four courses of action are under consideration. First, acceptance of the award under protest; second, acceptance with the proviso that preparation of new wage demands will start immediately; third, tentative rejection and submit the strike to a referendum; fourth, flat rejection and the exercise of plenary powers by the grand council toward a strike.

CONSERVATIVES WILL PREVAIL.

Chicago, July 21.—All reports from the conference of union officials indicate the conservatives who are disposed to accept the Board's decision, will prevail. The big four Brotherhoods leaders are siding with the conservative factions, although their men did not fare as liberally as the others.

WESTERN FARMERS MUST HAVE CARS OR SUFFER LOSS

Amarillo, Texas, July 21.—Unless farmers in the Panhandle district are able to secure the co-operation of the Interstate Commerce Commission and railroad heads in obtaining from 12,000 to 15,000 cars which will be necessary to move the wheat crop, farmers will sustain heavy losses during the next few weeks, according to the Panhandle Plains Chamber of Commerce.

Harvest hands are now in the fields and present indications are that the 1920 crop will be almost as great as the crop of last year; of which \$3-000,000 worth is still in the country, farmers being unable to obtain cars to carry their wheat to market, the statement said.

Relief has been promised, and should the promises be carried out the Panhandle section of Texas will, within the next ninety days, ship more than 20,000,000 bushels of wheat.

CORPUS FARMERS SAY THEIR HANDS ARE LURED AWAY

Corpus Christi, Texas, July 21.—Farmers of the Gulf Coast District of Texas have become aroused over the practice of luring away labor which they have secured at considerable cost, and they plan to work for the passage of a law placing a severe penalty upon the act, which they designate as "theft."

At a meeting of farmers of Nueces, San Patricio, Kleberg, Jim Wells and Refugio counties, the practice was publicly denounced as "worse than stealing from a corn crib at night" or "picking pockets." There was also talk of resorting to vigilante tactics in dealing with men, who, after their neighbors had assembled labor under contract at an expenditure of considerable time, effort and money, lured workers away by offers of higher pay.

MILITARY PARTY IN CHINA HAS ASKED FOR TERMS

amounting to a complete capitulation. Peking, July 21.—Peace terms, amounting to a complete capitulation of the military party have been offered by General Tain Chi Jui. It is stated here the terms have been communicated to the leaders of the Chihli faction.

WILL SEND MANY CARS TO HANDLE GREAT GRAIN CROP

Washington, July 21.—The movement of 25,000 additional box cars from Eastern and Southeastern roads to Western lines to handle the grain crop, was ordered today by the commission of Association of Railway Executives. The movement began July 25th to continue thirty days.

IS ILL AT GROVETON

A. W. Buchanan, district agent for the extension service of the A. & M. College, was taken quite ill this week while out on a trip for his department at Groveton. The message to his family stated he had a severe bilious attack and high fever. His son-in-law, left for his bedside last night and will remain with him until he is able to come home, which it is thought will only be a day or two.

TRAINS STOP TO HONOR TRUMBULL

Fort Worth, Tex., July 21.—All Katy trains will stop for three minutes at three o'clock July 23rd in memory of Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board who died recently.

GET READY FOR BIG TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The Bryan Country Club has completed two of the fastest courts in the State, of which all members are proud.

The tennis committee has arranged for a tournament to be played on the club courts for club members only, beginning August 10th until finished for the championship of the club in singles and doubles, for both men and women. Don't wait for the committee to call on you in person to play, but come out and help make the first tournament an example in both numbers and enthusiasm! Don't use the excuse by saying you are out of practice, for the time is far off enough for every one to get in shape, and the courts are ready for play. The committee wants to especially urge the ladies to begin playing and special arrangements will be made for them to practice regularly.

Single and double matches will be two out of three sets, both semifinals and finals.

The A. G. Spalding tennis ball will be used.

Appropriate prizes will be awarded the winners. The winners of the tournament will represent the Bryan Country Club at the State meet next season. Entrance fees are \$2.00 for double teams and \$1.00 for single teams.

Your entry must be made by the afternoon of the 15th of August and play will begin as soon as the drawings are made on the 16th of August. Don't stay out and then be sorry but be the first to send in your entrance fee. Send in your entrance fee to J. M. Bullock, Jr., chairman tennis committee.

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As long as the Eagle receives a 50-pound Brazos county watermelon every day we feel rich. These melons are selling for \$19.00 when served in Chicago and New York restaurants.

The Eagle trusts that the Galveston officials and police who have been suspended from duty will get a job and go to work. The cotton fields of Texas will soon be "white unto the harvest."

If it takes one thousand soldiers to make Galveston go to work there is Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio, El Paso and other "cities" to be looked after. There is about as much loafing in these towns as there was in Galveston.

The Waco News-Tribune says that "Waco seems to be the dumping ground of bad movies." Evidently the Waco loafers must have something real rotten to entertain them. Bad shows generally go where the people want them to go.

There seems to be several thieves and robbers hid away in the newsprint business and they deserve no better fate than Sam Bass, Jesse James or Cole Younger. They are arch criminals and have forfeited their right of liberty.

"Two Editors Are Called to Head the Nation's Business," is a headline in the Editor and Publisher. It is not so much what business a man is really in but what he is doing in that business. True wisdom in this life is knowing what to do next in these uncertain times.

The State democratic convention will meet in Fort Worth in August. Prepare now to be robbed by the hotel profiteers. By all means pay the robbers and look pleasant and cheerful. Once we fought a burglar and it seemed a little serious at the time the battle was going on but the next day we only laughed about the experience.

The Corpus Christi Times says the scarcity of sugar and the high prices will prevent the saving of the berry and fruit crop. If the juries would help us dislodge about 86,000 loafers in Corpus Christi, San Antonio, Austin, Waco, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and other places we would have more sugar.

It is predicted that several hundred car loads of East Texas watermelons will rot at Tyler on account of the car shortage. How can we expect the watermelons to fail to rot when the transportation system is rotten from top to bottom down one side and then the other and through the middle, perpendicular and horizontal and in every other direction? Watermelons cannot escape.

Fort Worth is organizing a "rat club" to get rid of the rodents. Fort Worth has something the matter with it worse than the bubonic plague. On account of the many night robberies there they are saying for all to lock their doors and then lock them again. Judging from the reports it would be a good idea to re-lock them and sit up all night with a loaded shot gun if you expect to be wholly safe in Fort Worth.

John Knott's cartoon in the Dallas News Thursday pictures Mexico very sick in bed and President De La Huerta appearing with a prohibition prescription. Mexico has been ill a long time but the fatal malady seems to be dirt and ignorance. When Diaz fell in 1910 he gave the Mexicans 112 holidays per year and pulque to drink. But he failed to use soap and water and an educational rod. If President Huerta succeeds in curing Mexico he must have plenty of soap and water and it must be used lavishly.

Automobile thieves in Boston are as plentiful as cow thieves in Houston. From forty to fifty cars are stolen in Boston every night. A Bostonian threw up his hands and screamed: "What in the name of Heaven are we going to do?" The Eagle would suggest if the person will not move out of Boston that he just let the auto go. It will cost the thief money (and perhaps bankrupt him) to buy gasoline and pay repair bills. The Bostonian has a silver lining to his cloud. Cheer up!

There are too many drummers and propagandists out on the road explaining why there is nothing to be sold and delivered. The whole country would be better off if these men would go to work. The Eagle has suggested that no more drummers come to Bryan at our expense only to tell us we cannot buy the goods we need. If every business man in the United States would follow this example there would be more goods to sell and less incompetency and inefficiency. It is pitiable indeed when the whole country seems to fall flat on its face and fail to see that the time has come for real men to work and take over a man's job.

THE MAN HIMSELF

(Philadelphia Ledger)

A man of strong character is not afraid to find responsibility devolving on himself. It may seem for a time most pleasant to dwell in a vale of no-decision, where the mind need never be made up and nothing matters and today it is only the sluggish current of time between tomorrow and yesterday. But none whose manhood in the least is precious to him cares to live that way. Mere inaction becomes to him as monotonous and demoralizing as a steady diet of bread and tea is to the physique. He must have some counter irritant, some keen and bracing opposition, that stiffens his morale, brings into play his masculinity of character, trains powers that might be atrophied in long disuse.

Every situation has the human factor at the center of it as the hub is in the midst of the wheel. For the real driving power you will have to look behind man's machinery and find a brain no larger than a sponge or a cauliflower ruling the whole mighty edifice.

Rabindranath Tagore came to our country and waxed eloquent against the skyscrapers He told us that we were not Titans that we should upread an architecture of this immensity. He held that it oppressed, suppressed and ruled us. But the mystic of India was wrong. Whatever the hand of man calls into being the mind of man will regulate. A man is ever bigger than his business. Let him be one of an army at work with cars and cranes, let him be a tiny mite amid the toil of mills where thousands are, and still the toiler is greater than the toil and greater than the tools or the fruits of labor. The thing that leaves the hand is soulless, but the soul went into the hand when it was made. The man himself is the greatest engine ever set in motion in this world, and the work of his hands shall ever control his immortal spirit.

THE GALVESTON SITUATION IS BECOMING DESPERATE

The Eagle is not fully prepared to say who is responsible for the deplorable conditions at Galveston but it does know that the affair is a shame and a disgrace and is to be deplored. If continued Galveston as a port will be destroyed. Several thousand carloads of freight including wheat, beef and cotton detained there only adds to the high cost of living. This condition injures the farmer and business man. Those who are responsible for the awful state of affairs at Galveston are no better than bandits and highwaymen. A competent court should pass upon the guilty parties and they should be imprisoned. All Texas is suffering and the port of Galveston belongs to the people of Texas as they have paid for its establishment and it should remain open for the trade and the traffic of the world and agitators in their brutality have no right to confiscate the prosperity and business of the people of Texas. They not only do not have the right to do it but they should be given the highest penalty of punishment. A disagreement of this sort between two elements is a high crime against the people and a misdemeanor against the government, both state and national. Galveston will ultimately be destroyed and the people of Texas must finally look elsewhere for a port through which to ship and receive the necessities of life. We cannot quibble with such a deplorable situation much longer and the guilty parties should be sent to prison.

SHIRKERS ON EMERGENCY WORK

(Texas Farm & Ranch)

Without pretending to assume that ethics among farmers is not what it should be, it may appear to many farmers as it does to the writer, that men are working together in filling silos, threshing grain and doing other work in a co-operative way that there are many who do not strive to do a fair day's work and have no regard for the trouble and expense for the man on whose farm they are working. The sentiment formerly seemed so strong among farmers that when a man loafed on the job when doing such work, he was so coolly treated and so strongly scorned that he seldom appeared the second day.

The expense of doing emergency work in farming when many teams and hands must be had is always very great. Whether men pay cash for this work or exchange with their neighbors, the results are the same. No man has a right to fail to do his part in such crews nor to expect his neighbor to do more than he does on his own farm. The object should be to do as much work in a short time as possible to relieve the farm owner of unnecessary expense and trouble and with a view of saving the grain or the crop as the case may be.

There is no better way to test a man's character than to try him out in emergency crews where every man is expected to do his full duty in a conscientious way. Shirkers in such work will do to watch.

During the meeting of the Farmer Labor party in Chicago it is said that a good deal of the unrest and balking was caused by the intense heat, the staggering hotel rates and the general profiteering going on. Whiskey sold for \$12 to \$18 per quart; hotel rooms were \$16 to \$180 per day; and a broiled fish and tomatoes sold for \$3.99. Palm leaf fans retailed for 90 cents. The delegates became angry and left Chicago before they entered into mature deliberations.



COMMON OWNERSHIP OF PROPERTY

Communists are for the moment visionaries. Their theory is that property should be held in common. This arrangement is all right for heaven, where nobody dies, nobody owns anything, and there is no money.

But on earth we need action. And here the mainspring of action is selfishness. If you destroy ownership you destroy selfish activity, which is 99 per cent of all activity.

It is only after they owned land and began leaving it to their children that men gave their own name to their children and took a real interest in them. Before that they belonged to the mother's name.

If the wilderness had been reclaimed, bears and wolves killed off, trees uprooted, and civilization, such as it is, gradually spread you may thank selfishness for it. Man lived in the wilderness and fought the Indians, because when it was all over, he owned the piece of ground.—Washington Times.

FOOLISH GIVING

(Ohio State Journal)

It is sheer folly to be handing over money to every strange solicitor who seeks it from you. No matter for what good purpose they claim the funds will be employed they have no right to expect generous people to pay over their cash without knowing something of the organization, its methods, its direction, its responsibility and its reputation for fair dealing.

There are permanent charitable organizations in the city that spend their time soliciting funds and using them in helpful and constructive relief work. They are well known. They are responsible. Their methods are unimpeachable. These agencies never have enough funds to care for all the work they find, to give relief to all cases as the ymay deserve. Every coin given them strengthens their arm, helps them in extending human relief. There are other agencies. Some are paying their solicitors one-half of all they collect. That is not constructive charity. It is an imposition on the public to have that work carried on in the city.

PUBLIC INTEREST

Every person living and transacting business or engaging in any work or profession in Bryan and Brazos county, of whatever station and class, should feel an interest in whatever work they are doing. If any job is worth doing it is worth doing well. If any profession is honorable it should be regarded as such by those who engage in that work. The community spirit based upon efficiency and patriotism is the spirit that makes peoples and nations great. No man can live up to himself alone and upon the success of our neighbor depends our success based upon earnest and intelligent effort. The Eagle cannot urge too strongly upon every citizen, rich or poor, especially the younger men who must sooner or later assume the activities and responsibilities to take a deep interest in business and public affairs. It is the best investment a man ever made and money getting is not all the real elements of broad gauged patriotic citizenship in the community, state and nation.

The Eagle has been requested to give its opinion by the Press Service Company of New York on the question of "Government Ownership and Operation of Railroads." The Eagle hasn't much opinion on the proposition. The railroads are practically a failure under private ownership and were under government operation. There was incompetency from top to bottom. There are too many men connected with the railroads, high and low, hence they cost more than they produce. Any business, great or small, that is not founded on efficiency and is not self-sustaining is a failure. Ultimately there must be a change in railroad operation in the United States or a general breakdown will follow in all lines of transportation. There are too many bosses and too many men connected with the railroads are only drawing their breath and their salaries. Hence a general breakdown is upon the country and the transportation system is growing weaker all the time and but few men engaged in it seem interested whether it will succeed or not.

The Joyriders

I EXPECT THOSE ARE THE PEOPLE THAT ARE ALWAYS MOLLERING ABOUT THE HIGH COST OF FOOD STUFF

WHY SIT YE HERE IDLE?

(Waco News-Tribune)

Day after day we hear repeated cries for help. There is less unskilled labor available today than there was during the darkest days of the war, when our men by the millions were withdrawn from the industry and placed in the army. How can this be? What can the men of the country be doing? How can they be earning a living with all these jobs going begging?

The truth of the matter is that many of these men are not earning a living. They are living off the earnings of someone else. That brings about no lessening of the demand for the farmers' products and it greatly decreases the supply. For all of us must eat and wear clothes, whether we toil or live a life of idleness. There is none of us but is a member of the army of consumers and the more of us that do our consuming in idleness the smaller will be the army of producers.

Prices can't come down so long as most of us refuse to help in getting production back to normal. Idlers make the demand for life's necessities great and the supply small, and where the demand is greater than the supply, prices always will be high.

No idler can plead that he can't find work to do. It may be true that he can't find just the kind of work he wants to do, as there is little call for snow shovels in this climate in July and most of the banks have their president hired for this year already, but he can find work of some kind. He should take this work, whether it is suited to his peculiar style of beauty or not, and hang on to it until something better is offered. Something better won't be long in coming to the man who is a sincere worker and who is willing to hit the ball.

A majority of the idlers are loafing because they have an almost insuperable aversion to work. They aren't going to be persuaded by editorials like this to go forth in search of employment. They may read the editorials, all right, as they have much time for reading but they're not going to be convinced. There is an argument, though, that would have its effect upon them. That argument is a strict enforcement of the law against vagrancy. We admit we can't make 'em work. Can the officers do any better? Let's find out.

TEACHING A MAN'S JOB.

Hon. R. B. Humphrey, of Dallas county, candidate for lieutenant governor, in his platform says: "Texas school teachers must be adequately paid for the noble and uplifting work to which their energies are devoted. Texas children must have good school houses and these school houses must be well furnished and equipped. To this end I pledge every effort." If there is to be reform in the teaching profession there must be stability. The teaching profession must not be made only a stepping stone for "something better." Teachers must believe in their profession. It must be a man's job. Teachers should be paid better but they should have better school houses, better equipment and teach more days in the year. At present the average rural school teacher in Texas does not have a man's job—and it makes unrest and dissatisfaction. Candidates for office ought to face the real issues and the real remedy before they make general declarations.

WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

(From Saturday's Daily)

The Eagle man received a package through the mail this morning from a Houston merchant addressed to "Mr. Buchanan." The package was opened and a nice, soft, comfortable, silky hat, just the size worn by the Eagle man was found inside. Now there were no initials given in the address, just "Mr. Buchanan." Neither was there a word of writing on the box or on the inside to indicate which "Mr. Buchanan" was intended. As there are just 700 Mr. Buchanans in Bryan and Brazos county, the Eagle man is at a loss to know what to do under the circumstances, and the object of this inquiry is two-fold. First to know what you would do under similar circumstances, and secondly to find the real "Mr. Buchanan." Let it be known however, in passing, that if some other "Buchanan" does not show up "in short," with the proper testimony to establish ownership, the aforesaid lid will soon be adorning the majestic dome of thought of yours truly.

DUROC JERSEY SOLD FOR LARGE SUM

Fort Worth, Tex., July 17.—A new high price for hogs in the southwest was set, when James Ditto, an Arlington banker paid \$3,200 for a Duroc Jersey sow.

ARE TAKING STEPS FOR RELIEF OF GRAIN TIE UP

Ft. Worth Tex., July 19.—To relieve grain congestion, the Panhandle International Great Northern was ordered today by the Interstate Commerce Commission to deliver to the Fort Worth and Denver river, fifteen cars daily to send to Northwest Texas.

AN OLD TEXAS MAN IS SOME REAL FARMER

Whitesboro, Texas, July 17.—Whitesboro has a remarkable farmer in the person of Charley Ritchie, over 85 years of age. He has just laid by a fine crop from forty acres of corn and 35 acres of cotton. Also he raised and marketed this year \$600 worth of strawberries, blackberries, chickens, eggs and other produce.

Ritchie says he has not spent one dollar for extra labor but has done all of this work himself and feels none the worse for it. He has never owned an automobile and does not expect to, as they are "too progressive" for him. He comes to town on horseback and rides at a gallop. Ritchie is as active and supple as a boy, and says he expects to live past the century mark. He is active in politics and church affairs.

JACK MAHAN A. & M. FOOTBALL CAPTAIN WINS AT BOSTON



The Eagle received the following telegram today from James Sullivan, director of athletics at A. & M., who is now in Dallas: "Jack Mahan, Captain of the A. & M. football team won the javelin throw in the Olympic meet at Boston. His distance was 175 feet, 7 1/2 inches.—James Sullivan."

Everybody in Bryan knows Jack Mahan. He was the star supreme on A. & M.'s football team last season and starred in every game. He is captain of the team for next season, and besides being a football star, is an all-around athlete and takes a leading part in all sports.

FARMERS UNION TO MEET FT. WORTH ON AUGUST 10 TH

Fort Worth, Texas, April 19.—The principal business of the Texas Farmers Union convention to be held on August 10th, will be the proposed increase of the capital stock of the Union Selling Agency headquarters in Houston from thirty thousand to one hundred thousand, President Lyday announced today. The agency last year handled a hundred million dollars worth of farm products.

ONE MORE WEEK

July Clearing Out Sale

M. Bonneville's Racket Store

MORE GOODS FOR SAME MONEY

On the Corner West of Main Street

July Month, these goods must go—a deep cut in every department has been made, so as to dispose of them quickly—as to make room for Fall Merchandise. The prospects for a good crop this fall was never better, and the future looks good. Now is the time to buy your wants at prices at a Big Reduction—all during this month you will find our counters full of bargains at Closing-Out Prices. If you can't come today come tomorrow. We have Bargains to offer you. Below are only a few of our Big Bargains we are offering. Thousands more of them on our Bargain Counters. We have them and at Bargain Prices.

Just Arrived

By express 125 Ladies' Tricolette Over-Blouse, Embroidered Georgette Waists, Embroidered Crepe de Chine Waists, Embroidered Jap Silk Waists in assorted colors; new and up-to-date, to be sold at big bargains, \$3.98, 3.50, \$2.98, \$2.48, \$1.98 each. Medium, big and extra sizes. These are bargains and worth double.

July Bargain Clearing Sale

Table Oil Cloth, assorted colors, 75c value, per yard.	59c	Boys' Wash Suits, age 3-8 at	\$1.65, \$1.48
Ladies' Silk Shirt Waists, nicely made, \$3.25 value at	\$2.75	Big line of Children's Rompers, age 2-6 special at	75c
1000 yards of Colored Voile, special, per yard	25c	Boys' Knee Suits nice quality, age 5-10, special at	\$2.98
Ladies' Bungalow Aprons, made of good Percale at	\$1.75	Boys' Palm Beach Wash Suits, age 8-17, nicely made, special	\$3.50
Ladies' or Men's Silk Parasols, big bargain; each	\$1.50	Boys' Knee Pants all sizes, good quality, per pair	\$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25
		Slop Jars big size, a bargain at	\$1.65 and \$1.45

Special Bargains During Our Clearing Sale

1,5000 yards of fancy figured and plain dress lawns, per yard, 19c, 15c, 12 1-2c, 10c; pretty line of large figured and striped Voile, 35c value, per yard at 25c; new up-to-date Shirt Waists, \$1.98, \$1.50, \$1.28, 98c; big line children's White Dresses, up-to-date bargains \$4.50, \$3.50, \$2.50, \$1.75, \$1.25, 98c, 75c; Ladies Gingham House Dresses \$1.98 \$1.65. Just received 500 pairs of Children's, Misses and Ladies' White Oxford and Slippers, heel and toe, two strap and one strap, lace low and high heel at \$1.98, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.15 per pair. Big line of boys and men's Caps \$1.00, 75c, 59c 45c. Just in Boys' Knee Pants, all sizes \$1.98, \$1.50, \$1.25 98c 75c and 50c per pair. Boys' Wash Suits, aged 3 to 8 at \$1.60, \$1.48, \$1.25. Boys' Dress wool and mixed Wool Suits at \$5.98, \$5.50, \$3.50, \$2.98. Men and boys' Harvest Hats 19c, 15c, 25c each. Big line Dish Pans 35c. Stove Pans 15c, 20c, 25c each. Granite Cook Pots with cover 35c, 50c, 75c, 98c. Liquid Shoe Polish all colors 10c and 15c bottle. Large Tin Sifter, all kinds at 25c. Glass lamps complete, \$1.40, 85c, 50c each. Thousands more bargains to be had during this sale. Call and see us. Tin Dish Pans at 35c, 39c. Milk Pans, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c. Stone Pans 15c, 25c .9c. Knives and forks, per set \$1.35. Slop jars to arrive at \$1.35 each. Nail hammers at 25c and 45c each. Hand saws 75c, 98c each. Tea kettles, granite, No. 8, at \$1.35; No. 9 at \$1.50. Sugar bowls, 25c, butter dishes 25c.

Shoe Bargains During Our Clearing Sale

Just received big line of Ladies, Misses and Children's Barefoot Sandals, all sizes, per pair at 89c, 98c, \$1.25, \$2.45. Misses' and Children's Tan, Oxford, very soft and broad toe, per pair, \$1.98 and \$2.25. Infant White Baby Doll Slippers at \$1.25, \$1.15, 98c per pair. Infant Vici or Patten Leather Baby Doll Slippers, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75. Big line of Children's Slippers in Baby Dolls, strap slipper and lace slipper, per pair, \$1.98, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25. Misses' Dress Slippers in patten leather or vici kid, per pair, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75. Just received a big line of Ladies' Dress and House Slippers, all leather, in fancy and broad toes, per pair, \$3.75, \$2.98, \$2.25, \$1.98. Latest up-to-date slippers in low or high heel, black or brown color, valenues at \$5.98 a pair. Latest White Baby Doll Slippers at \$1.45 pair. Ladies' White Heel and Toe Slippers, per pair, \$1.75. Ladies' High top white low shoes, very dressy, per pair, \$1.98. Ladies two strap leather Oxford, per pair, \$2.69. Boys' work or dress shoes, per pair \$1.98, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.50. Men's work shoes, well made and good leather, per pair, \$3.50, \$2.98, \$2.65, \$2.10, \$1.98. A full line of Men's low cut dress oxford, in plain toe or foot form or in English Walkers, black or brwn at per pair, \$6.25, \$4.50, \$3.98, \$3.50. Men's fine Dress Shes in all style of toes and in color black or brown per pair, \$6.75, \$5.98, \$4.75, \$3.98, \$2.98, \$2.75, \$2.50. Men's or Youths white bottom rubber canvass Oxford per pair, 98c. Boys and girls sizes at 89c pair. These are real bargains in shoes and are values that are worth 25 to 50 per cent more on each pair. We bought them at a bargain and we are closing them out at a bargain.

Men's and Boys' Furnishings Second Floor

In this department we are offering some BIG VALUES in men's pants, boys' knee pants and boys knee suits. These hot days you need a cool shirt, pants or wash suit. We have them; not at war price but at less price to please and suit the rich or poorest pocket book. If you need anything in this department visit us and be convinced how to buy your needs at a small price. Our Hat Department is filled with new, up-to-date hats in all styles and at prices to please the hard times.

WORK IS A FINE
MEDICINE. DON'T
MAKE A WRY FACE
WHEN YOU TAKE IT!

Professor Experience

Fair, Square Prices

The finest medicine for what ails every man is work. It's good for what ails you. We have worked consistently to bring to the public high grade merchandise at prices that are absolutely fair.

MALONEY'S

PAUL WATTAKNABBA JAPAN STUDENT AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Paul Wattaknabba, a well known Japanese student in Yale University, and who formerly lived in Bryan, spent yesterday in the city on a visit to old friends and the Baptist church. He made a short talk to the children at the Sunday school hour and by invitation of the pastor, preached at the night service, delivering a splendid sermon. His theme was "Wanted, a Man," and his words were highly inspirational and of the greatest interest to all present. A higher ideal of christian citizenship was gained by all who listened to the earnest words of the speaker.

During Paul's residence in Bryan he was a student in the Bryan Baptist Academy for four years and graduated from that institution. He then attended Baylor University at Waco for two years and then went to Simmons College, Abilene, two years, graduating from there. He has been in Yale one year and has two more years there before receiving his Ph. D. degree. He has not yet decided whether or not he will attend the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville after finishing at Yale, or whether he will leave at once for Japan. He is preparing himself for the ministry and his soul is on fire to work with his own people. He is now enroute to Japan to attend a World Sunday School convention.

He is making his way through these various colleges and universities almost entirely by his own efforts. His father and mother were both killed in an earthquake and he himself was crippled for life. After his conversion he became thoroughly convinced of his call to the ministry and his one sole and all-consuming desire from that time until now has been to secure an education that he may be prepared for his life work.

The sermon by the pastor at the morning service was especially helpful and spiritual and the music both morning and evening was exceptionally good. The sermon prepared by the pastor for last night on "The most important thing in Bryan," will be preached next Sunday night.

It certainly looks good to see the huge Brazos county watermelons, luscious peaches and rejuvenating roasting ears on the market in Bryan.

The Overall Clubs are dead. They succeeded in enriching the overall manufacturers and having accomplished their purpose turned their pink toes up to the daisies and fell asleep in the last long repose.

Reasons!

Why you should use Cardui, the woman's tonic, for your troubles, have been shown in thousands of letters from actual users of this medicine, who speak from personal experience. If the results obtained by other women for so many years have been so uniformly good, why not give Cardui a trial?

Take

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary J. Irvin, of Cullen, Va., writes: "About 11 years ago, I suffered untold misery with female trouble, bearing-down pains, headache, numbness... I would go for three weeks almost bent double... My husband went to Dr. — for Cardui... After taking about two bottles I began going around and when I took three bottles I could do all my work." E-50

RED CROSS WILL BE REPRESENTED ON FARM BOYS TRAIN

Some time ago the representatives of the A. and M. College who have charge of, and are working up the various features of the Texas Farm Boys Special to be run from the A. and M. College in August, made application through the Brazos County Chapter of the American Red Cross for a physician and nurse to accompany the Special. The application was made to the division headquarters at St. Louis and quite a little correspondence followed and for a time it looked like the application would be denied. The matter has been finally adjusted however and the Red Cross physician and nurse will accompany the train as shown by the following letter to the executive secretary of the Red Cross: St. Louis, Mo., July 16, 1920.

Mrs. Albert Buchanan,
Executive Secretary,
American Red Cross,
Bryan, Texas.
My dear Mrs. Buchanan:—
I am now in a position to give you a definite statement on what the Red Cross can do in furnishing a doctor and a nurse for the educational tour. The Division office will furnish the doctor and nurse and pay the salaries and expenses. Will you please communicate this to the proper person at the A. & M. College, and also furnish me with the name of the person for us to communicate with on this matter. It is important that we know as early as possible what the itinerary is to be, the exact day of leaving, the necessary equipment to be taken etc.

I shall appreciate an early reply from you.

Very sincerely yours,
ROBERT E. BONDY,
Asst. Mgr. S. W. Div. A. R. C.

RED CROSS NOTES

The Brazos County Red Cross calls attention to the new condition under which lapsed or cancelled War Risk (Term) Insurance may be reinstated, and urges all ex-service men who have not yet taken advantage of this generous offer to do so at once.

The new ruling is officially designated as "T. D. 61 W. R." and became effective July 1, 1920. The features of maximum interest to former service men provide for reinstatement, or reinstatement and conversion of lapsed or canceled War Risk (Term) Insurance under conditions substantially as follows: Two monthly premiums. (1) In all cases the applicant must pay at least two monthly premiums on the amount of insurance they wish to reinstate. (2) The applicant also must comply with the requirements in reference to health to the satisfaction of the director of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance.

This new ruling is an extremely liberal provision and presents an opportunity for a very large class of former service men to reinstate any time up to January 1, 1921, without medical examination, by simply paying two months premium on the amount of insurance they wish to reinstate.

For information in regard to War Risk Insurance, blanks for reinstatement, sample policies and other literature, call at the Red Cross office, upstairs in First National Bank, Bryan, Texas.

REV. RAMSEY FROM VISIT TO MISSOURI

Rev. P. T. Ramsey, pastor of the Methodist church, arrived home Friday morning from a two weeks visit to his mother, Mrs. W. A. Ramsey at the old home in Birch Tree, Missouri. He will conduct the regular services at the Methodist church next Sunday and announcements will be made in the Eagle Saturday. Rev. Ramsey said he failed to see Champ Clark or Jim Reed while in Missouri and met a great many people in Missouri who had never heard of the Texas candidate for the presidency. Rev. Ramsey had a good time and seems to have enjoyed the good things he got to eat while in old Missouri.

Miss Ivy Hood has gone to Houton where she will make her home in future.

THREE BRAZOS COUNTY BOYS WILL TAKE TRIP OVER NORTH AND EAST

Examination Held at Bryan-High School Building Saturday Afternoon and Thurston Etheridge, J. D. Jones and Thomas Kirby Were the Winners—Only Twenty Out of Eighty Members Reported For the Examination—All Did Very Well.

A NEGRO RECEIVED OVER ONE THOUSAND YEAR PEN SENTENCE

(By Associated Press)

Waco, Texas, July 19.—The board of pardons in investigating the record of Lee Robison, a negro who was sentenced to the Texas penitentiary under what is probably the longest sentence ever imposed in Texas—1,001 years—discovered that during the fifteen years he has served, Robison has accumulated overtime credits which bring his time served up to twenty-four years.

Robison was sent to the penitentiary from Waco in 1905, and in a letter to the county clerk here the board of pardons stated that he is growing old, has been a good prisoner, and that the board was considering a recommendation to the governor for his pardon, if circumstances developed to warrant the recommendation. The county clerk and the sheriff, who also remembered details of the case, informed the pardon board that they did not consider that the negro deserved a pardon.

AUTO THIEVES HAVE WACO HEADQUARTERS

(By Associated Press)

Waco, July 19.—Sheriff Bob Buchanan and Deputy Barton have succeeded in exposing one of the biggest auto theft combinations ever organized in this part of the State and by the arrest of one of the leaders, have secured evidence sufficient to enable them to locate eight stolen cars, and their recovery is certain. Obtaining the latest numbers issued by the factory, the parties would register a car in a fictitious number higher than the latest number issued and secure a State number. Then they proceeded to steal a new car, change the number on the engine to the number they had registered and attach the State number and seal. So perfect was the disguise that one man in Waco found his own car after it had been stolen and changed as indicated and was convinced he was mistaken.

Cars had been stolen and sold in Dallas, Waxahachie, Cameron, Corsicana, Palestine, Marlin and Houston.

DAUGHTER OF HOODS BRIGADE IS DEAD

Died at Palestine Sanitarium, Palestine, Texas, on Saturday night, July 10th, Mrs. W. C. Gorman of Oakwood, Texas. Mrs. Gorman was formerly Miss Minnie Hunter of Huntsville, Texas, and the elder of six children, two girls and four boys of Capt. Jas. T. Hunter, now the only surviving "staff officer" of the late Gen. Hood. Capt. Hunter with this daughter, Mrs. Gorman and two 15 year old grand daughters, was in attendance of the recent Hood's Brigade reunion at Bryan on the 28, 29, and 30th of June.

Mrs. Gorman seldom missed a reunion since she was a young girl. She has been the pet and idol of the old soldiers of the brigade for many years. She was fond of and fully reciprocated their love and adulation, and will be very much missed by them in future reunions.

FIRST 1920 BALE OF MEXICAN COTTON IN

Matamoros, Mex., July 16.—The first bale of Mexican cotton for the 1920 season was ginned July 7 on Ranchita las Olivarez, 45 miles south of this border town. It was grown by Conrado Gutierrez, former mayor of Matamoros. The bale was shipped to mills in Mexico City because of the American quarantine against Mexican cotton due to the prevalence of the pink boll worm in this country.

BRYAN CITIZENS HONORED BY THE DALLAS FAIR

The Eagle is in receipt of a copy of the Dallas Fair catalog for October 9 to 24 meet. E. J. Keist, editor of the Dallas Times-Herald succeeds Col. John N. Simpson, deceased, as active president. W. H. Stratton is secretary. Among the honorary vice presidents in Texas are noticed: R. E. L. Knight, of Dallas; Mayor J. M. Lawrence, of Bryan; Col. R. M. Johnston, of Houston; Hon. E. H. Astin, of Bryan; J. Allen Myers, of Bryan; D. C. Giddings, of Brenham; Hon. Clarence Ousley, of College Station; M. L. Parker, of Bryan; W. S. Gibbs, of Huntsville; Chas. H. Mills, of Corsicana; Hon. T. S. Henderson, of Cameron; Hon. R. J. Eckhardt, of Taylor; Gen. J. F. Walters, Houston; Hon. Danbey White, of Tyler, and others.

Mrs. Mary Carroll of Ardmore, Okla., is visiting her nephew, W. J. Vandiver and family of Harvey.

USE THE EAGLE'S WANT ADS

FT. WORTH BANDITS RAID THE GAMBLERS

(By Associated Press)

Fort Worth, Texas, July 19.—Three highwaymen armed with two pistols and a shotgun staged a raid on a crap game in a box car in the Katy yards about 3 o'clock last night and made away with \$1,600 in money and \$1,000 worth of watches. The forty men engaged in the game were taken completely by surprise, but one quick-witted fellow had the presence of mind to jump out of the car and run. The highjacker fired at him, but he escaped by taking refuge behind another box car. Immediately after being notified chase was given by Police Captain Gaines Davis and several emergency officers, but the bandits escaped in an automobile. No trace has been found of them.

Captain Davis believes them to be the same parties who held up the Glen Garden Club negro cook soon afterward on Evans avenue and took \$2 in money and his car.

DISASTROUS SYSTEMS

Hon. O. D. Baker, of Gause, candidate for Floterial Representative from the district composed of Miami and Bell counties, was a caller at The Reporter office one day recently. Mr. Baker is making a close canvass of the county and is well satisfied with his standing with the voters. Mr. Baker is the logical man for this office and the Reporter trusts that Miami county will roll him up a big majority. Mr. Baker has a number of good ideas in regard to future legislation, among them being one to change the tax lien law so that the State cannot retain a lien on property for non-payment of taxes for a longer period than four years. He argues that if the State of Texas, with its ample machinery, cannot collect taxes in four years time then they ought not to be collected at all, and there is much good argument on his side of the question.—Rockdale Reporter.

Upon such a platform alone Mr. Baker should be elected to the legislature. To allow delinquent taxes to remain for years and years to cloud the titles of property is a public calamity. The trouble with the government is that it is oftentimes in incompetent hands. There seems to be no well defined policy of service and efficiency. It is surrounded by red tape and delays. The same expensive machinery rests upon corporate business. It is alarming as to the inefficiency, incompetency and waste there is in the smaller business affairs. It seems the more machinery and alleged service the country has the less real work there is performed. There are so many men in many lines of business now that they are practically like rats, run over each other and delay the wheels of business until its alleged efficiency is a shame and a disgrace.

EIGHT FEET SUDAN GRASS.

W. N. Crenshaw left a sample of his Sudan grass at the Eagle office Thursday. Mr. Crenshaw has an acre of this wonderful grass which is 8 feet high. The first crop of the grass will soon be cut and the second crop will immediately begin to grow. When Sudan gets started early in the year with a late fall three crops are often matured and harvested.

1.—What do you mean by crop rotation? Give four reasons why crops should be rotated.

2.—What is meant by "plant food"? What are the three principal elements of plant food and what part does each play in the growth of plants? What is the cheapest source of each of these elements?

3.—Discuss factors to be considered in planting a home orchard.

4.—Tell how to feed a dairy cow to insure maximum milk production.

5.—What advantages do purebred beef cattle have over scrub cattle?

6.—What points would you consider in selecting a sow to use for breeding purposes? Explain each point fully.

The following are the boys who took the examination and the total grade made by each: Sexton Orms, Bryan, 61; John Aubrey Moore, Kurten Route 1, 70; Freddie Locke, Zack, 57; Joe Lloyd, Bryan Route 6, 50; Sumner Kirby, Bryan Route 2, 77; Thomas Kirby, Bryan Route 2, 85; J. D. Jones, Bryan Route 4, 87; Carroll Jameson, Millican, 64; Jim Huggins, Kurten Route 1, 54; Thurston Etheridge, Bryan Route 6, 87; Julian Cobb, Tabor, 73; Clarence Cloud, Bryan Route 6, 45; Webster Cloud, Bryan Route 6, 45; J. T. Closs, Jr., Bryan Route 6, 83; James Ayers, Millican, 69; Willie Pos, Bryan, 53; Walter Pos, Bryan, 68; Johnnie Ramsey, Bryan Route 4, 46; James Pipkin, Bryan Route 4, 67; Fletcher Pool, Millican, 73.

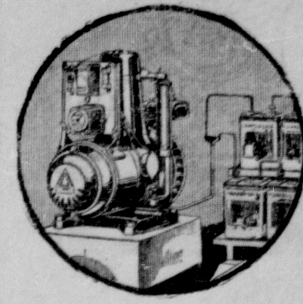
MR. ASTIN DREAMS ABOUT OIL GUSHER

A few nights ago Roger Q. Astin had a very peculiar dream. He was sleeping out at the home on the Brazos Bottom farm near Mooring Well No. 1. He vividly made the trip in an airplane within 300 yards of the Mooring Well and alighted and there was a great oil well gushing out of the ground. Mr. Astin suddenly awoke just as he was going to get in the airplane to go back home to escape the deluge of oil. He thought nothing of the circumstances at that time.

A few nights following Mr. Astin dreamed again that he walked straight to this spot and a big derrick was sending down a drill into the earth and as he looked into the hole he saw the oil gushing out at the rate of—well perhaps 1,000 or 2,000 barrels per day. He then took a survey of the location and it was exactly the same spot he had dreamed he made the airplane trip to before. While all this was going on he woke up. The third dream will be the charm and if it happens we will expect a great oil gusher down in the Bottom before many weeks come and go.

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ON COLLEGE ROAD AUTOMOBILE SMASH HAD NO LIGHTS

(From Thursday's Daily)

A serious automobile accident occurred last night on the College road in which two cars were badly wrecked and the driver of one car was prettily badly cut on the arm by broken glass and the driver of the other was slightly cut about the face. Prof. Paul Ferguson, driving a Ford coupe was coming into town and collided with a Ford touring car. Both cars were running without lights and this is said to have been the cause of the accident. The collision was almost a center head-on and the front ends radiators, lights, hoods, axles, wheels and windshields were badly broken and twisted up. That neither of the drivers was seriously hurt looks like a miracle. The driver of the touring car was a federal student named Ruben D. Gordon.

CARD TO VOTERS.

To the Voters of Brazos County: It is with reluctance I go into the public print in regard to my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent, but under the circumstances I feel it is necessary. Two reports have been started by parties who were evidently misinformed, that I feel it to be my duty to the public to correct.

One report is that I have not the required certificate as prescribed by law to enable me to hold the office. The other is that I would not keep the office open on Saturdays, should I be elected.

Both reports are absolutely without foundation. I hold the necessary certificate as required by law, and if the people honor me with election, I shall be in the office every Saturday as that is the most important day of the week for the transaction of the business of the office.

I have not been able to see all the voters of the county and in this connection I take the opportunity of modestly soliciting your support, and if elected pledge the very best service I am capable of rendering. (adv)

J. F. Logan of College has spent the past few days in Houston on business.

AMENDMENT CITY CHARTER CARRIED IN DUL ELECTION

In the city election held yesterday on the proposition of amending the city charter, there was very little interest shown and only 235 votes were polled. The proposition carried by 165 for, to 72 against. The charter amendment is to change the tax limit for school purposes from 50 cents on the one hundred dollars valuation to 75 cents. Under the amendment the commission can levy the entire 25 cents increase or so much thereof as is necessary to produce the required revenue for the operation of the city schools. Under the present high prices, the revenue derived from the 50 cents levy for school purposes was far inadequate and a deficit of several thousand dollars was shown at the close of the past session. Teachers salaries are higher and every other item of school expense was increased accordingly and the situation had to be met and the removal of the 50 cent limit and the substitution of a higher limit was the only remedy. A. K. Brown was judge of the election with M. G. Nall and Oak McKenzie associate judges, and Henry Crenshaw, clerk.

CALVERT IS TO HAVE ANNUAL JULY JUBILEE

(Special to the Eagle)
Calvert, Tex., July 16.—July 28th at Calvert in the Park we will hold our Annual July Jubilee. Program begins at 11 a.m. and continues throughout the day. Fifty dollars in cash prizes will be given winners in spelling, in singing (all voices), in violin and other instrumental music. The Old Fiddlers' Contest will be the feature event. Everybody will have a good time. CALVERT COMMERCIAL CLUB, Chas. M. Best, Sec.-Mgr.

NOTICE

All who want their children transferred from one school district to another must attend to it not later than July 31, 1920. Wm. L. Powers, County Superintendent. 4-d-44w

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Personal Mention

(From Friday's Daily)
Richard Rosborough went to Marshall last night for a visit to his parents.

Misses Lena and Clara Wetter went to Kerrville today for the remainder of the heated term.

Mrs. Manley and two daughters, Artie and Lois, departed today for Center, Texas, where they will visit Robert Manley and family.

Misses Gertrude and Mae Tucker have returned from a delightful visit with relatives and friends at Tyler.

Mrs. Ellison of Franklin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Earl King and family.

Miss Ruth Cavitt of Wheelock, who for the past few days has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Armstrong in this city, departed today for a visit to another sister at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanders have returned from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Denman, in Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix Conway and sons returned yesterday from a delightful stay of two weeks in Galveston.

Paul LeGros, a traveling salesman from Houston is in the city today working his trade and incidentally calling upon friends.

Jeff Cole attended a ball game in Navasota yesterday afternoon.

Harry Estill and Hiram Downard have returned from a pleasant little vacation spent in Galveston.

Mrs. John M. Lawrence left yesterday afternoon for Tela, British Honduras, to visit her son, Guy Adriance, who is with the United Fruit Co., and is stationed at that place.

(From Saturday's Daily)

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Astin have both been quite ill at their plantation home at Mumford and are now under treatment at the Bryan Hospital.

Mrs. H. O. Boatwright and Miss Ruth Boatwright are visiting in Dallas and from there will join Mr. Boatwright in Marlin where he is spending his vacation.

Miss Frances Hall is the guest of friends in Navasota.

Mrs. O. H. Astin has been spending some days at her plantation in the bottom.

E. B. Lloyd of Kurten was in the city today.

Miss Dora Lee Willard has returned to Houston after a two-weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Willard in this city.

Mal Hall, Carroll Harris and Edwin Crenshaw were visitors to Navasota last night.

Miss Mary McGee is visiting relatives and friends in Houston.

Miss Ruth Knox and brother Sam Knox are visiting relatives in Navasota.

Mrs. E. M. Boggs and little daughter Mildred, are visiting relatives in Houston.

Rev. Eck Smith of Shiloh was in the city today and called on the Eagle.

R. A. Harrison left today on a business trip through California and Arizona. He goes to inspect the long staple cotton districts in the irrigated valleys of those states with a view to placing orders for same for his firm.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hensarling were visitors in the city today from Steep Hollow.

John T. Dyess was in the city today from Harvey.

Ezra Wilson was in town today from his home near Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Kosh, and son Louis, Miss Victoria Dominik and Miss Annie Sebesta have gone to Oklahoma City for a visit to relatives and friends.

Ruel Wedington of Waco, is in Bryan for a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Wedington.

Miss Helen Moore went to Galveston today for a week-end visit to her friend Miss Elsie Townes.

Mrs. Jerome Terry and little son, Jerome, Jr., of Beaumont are guests of Mrs. R. L. Hearne and Mrs. M. Lawrence Parker. Mrs. Terry is pleasantly remembered in Bryan by friends as Miss Stella Johnson and is receiving many social courtesies during her present visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Wilson and son, Robert A. Jr., of Waco are visiting Mrs. R. B. Welch and Mr. and Mrs. James Darwin in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lanham have gone to Conroe for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cash have gone to Houston where Mr. Cash will receive his final discharge from the army.

Classified Ads Bring Results

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Bringhurst are moving to Dallas where Mr. Bringhurst will have charge of the quotations service of the bureau of markets. Mr. and Mrs. Bringhurst have many friends in Bryan who regret to lose them a credit, however, their best wishes follow them to their new home.

Prof. and Mrs. C. M. Bethany have returned from Austin where they spent several weeks. Prof. Bethany doing special work in the State University the greater part of the time. While away they visited many different points of interest in the state and have spent a very delightful summer.

Mrs. Chas. Low and Miss Gertrude Low of Brownwood, mother and sister of Mrs. Clifford Pouncey, are visiting in Bryan and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pouncey.

Rouse Morris of Dallas was in Bryan today and renewed acquaintanceship with many of his schoolboy friends and others. He formerly lived in Bryan, his father, Dr. Morris, being pastor of the First Methodist church.

Dr. Morris has been dead some two years and Rouse and his mother are living in Dallas.

N. F. Outlaw was in the city today from Reliance.

Sam Dunn was down today from his home near Wheelock.

Dean J. C. Nagle, of A. & M. College, will deliver an address before the Texas Water Works Association on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Galbraith of College has been called to her home at Bonham on account of the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Graham and little daughter, Julia Belle, have returned from a week's vacation spent most pleasantly in Galveston.

Charles Dewey Warren of Bryan, who is in the United States Navy, has been transferred from the receiving ship at New York to the U. S. S. Maumee.

Mrs. Bert Christian of Medina City arrived Saturday afternoon for a visit to her mother, Mrs. H. H. Huff of Edge.

Miss Katie Daly, Master Elbert Daly and Marvin Wallace, Jr., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Paul Damsby to Galveston Sunday. The party made the trip in automobiles.

Hon. Scott Field of Calvert spent the weekend with Judge and Mrs. W. G. Taliaferro in this city.

(From Tuesday's Daily)

For ten days we will sell all mens Palm Beach suits worth up to \$18.50 at \$14.48. All mens Mohair suits worth up to \$22.50 at \$15.39. Edge Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. E. J. Kyle and daughter, Miss Lillie Bess, were visitors in the city today from College.

Get your boy a Palm Beach suit at Edge Dry Goods Co. for \$7.98.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fuller and three daughters, and Mrs. Mollie Brown of Meridian, Miss., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown.

Mrs. J. H. O'Neal and children, Nina, Hubert and Harvey, have returned to Houston after visiting Mrs. M. T. Jones and J. G. Burroughs.

Mrs. M. L. Myers returned to her home in Houston Monday afternoon after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lige Spell.

Walter Ramsey has returned to Houston after visiting Mrs. Willie Ramsey.

C. A. Harris has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., and Cleveland, Ohio, on business.

Mrs. Irma Harris Barnett has returned from Dallas where she has been studying music during the summer.

Mrs. Louise Fickenson has returned to her home in Houston after visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. Foster at College Station. She was accompanied home by her nephew, Thomas Galinger.

Herman Kindt of Kurten was in the city today.

Edge Dry Goods Co. is selling best grade striped Eagle crepe de chine shirts worth up to \$16.50 at \$9.98. Best grade crepe de chine solid colors worth up to \$13.50, \$8.35. A beautiful line of silk shirts worth up to \$8.50, at \$5.98.

Judge W. C. Davis is in Franklin again this week where his court is in session.

Mrs. Will H. Smith and son, Will Smith, Jr., have returned to their home at Shreveport, La., after visiting relatives in Bryan and at Reliance.

Mrs. J. A. Tobias and daughter, Miss Vera Maud, have returned from a trip to Houston and various points in south and southwest Texas.

Commissioner John Sabo of the Kurten community was in the city today and called on the Eagle.

White tennis oxfords, gray sole, size 7-12 to 10 at 69 cents. Edge Dry Goods Co.

J. P. Gilpin was in the city today from his home at Kurten.

Dr. W. A. Smith of Millican was in the city between trains today.

J. A. Beard has returned from a visit of some days in Burleson county.

J. Conway was in the city today from his home at Reliance.

O. L. Andrews of Harvey was in town today.

A. C. Williams of Coleview was in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Brayton departed this morning for Kerrville, where they will spend a month.

W. A. Gustavus and son, Horace of Ballinger are visiting in Bryan and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole.

Mrs. Paul Dunkle of Mineral Wells arrived this afternoon for a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. B. Elliott and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. J. Hendrix Conway and two little sons are in Franklin this week, visiting Mrs. Conway's father L. L. Bradbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Edge, Master Charles and Miss Eugene Edge went to Galveston this morning for a two weeks visit.

Mrs. John Newton of Beaumont, who has been visiting Mrs. N. R. Newton in this city, went to Brenham this week for a short visit with friends. She will return to Bryan the last of the week.

Miss Melba Brock of Grapeland is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brock in this city.

Mrs. G. W. Singletary and children, Janie Lee and George Jr., will go to Navasota tonight where they will spend a month with Mr. Singletary who has a position there.

Misses Ethel and Josephine Eden and Miss Daisy Worley and little Albert Worley, Jr., formed an automobile party this morning for Galveston where they will remain for the remainder of July.

Mrs. Albert Worley and little daughter Daisy May went to Dallas by noon train for a week's visit with Mrs. Worley's mother.

Mrs. Ned Callison of Sour Lake who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Egbert Jones, has returned to her home.

Mrs. H. A. Burger has returned from New Orleans where she went to be with her mother, Mrs. C. P. Jones, who is there under special treatment for her eyes. A very serious operation was performed on Mrs. Jones' eye last week, and her many Bryan friends are rejoiced to learn that the operation was in every way successful. The bandages were removed last Saturday, at which time her sight was found to be restored.

Mrs. S. C. Williams is also in New Orleans with Mrs. Jones and will remain with her until she is able to return home.

Mrs. John Gregg and Mrs. Albert Hannaman of the Brazos Bottom were among the Bryan shoppers today.

(From Wednesday's Daily)

E. H. P. Bain has joined his wife and son at Canton, Miss., on a visit to relatives.

Travis B. Bryan, R. W. Howell, W. B. Cannon, O. E. Sanders and Donald Morrison, have returned from Houston where they spent the weekend playing golf and otherwise enjoying themselves. E. E. Bryan, Jr., who was here on a visit to his brother, T. B. Bryan, accompanied the party to Houston and went from there to Philadelphia on business.

Mrs. Tibout Skains of Houston is the guest of Mrs. E. W. Crenshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hadley have arrived home from Washington City where they have resided during the past two years. They are accompanied by Mr. Chas. F. Runge, a friend from Washington, who will be their guest for some days.

Miss Edna Hamilton of Dallas has returned home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. W. Wiprecht. Miss Hamilton is a noted musician and will make her debut this autumn in symphony in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bullock of Steep Hollow were visitors in the city today.

A telephone message from A. W. Buchanan last night stated that he was better and would be able to come home in a day or two. He was taken last week at Groveton and accompanied by his son-in-law, E. E. McAdams, came as far as Houston where he stopped for a few days treatment under Dr. H. L. Fountain.

George R. Branch of Teague joined his family here this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Buchanan. They will leave tonight for a short visit to Houston and Galveston.

J. W. Thompson, a well known citizen of Edge was in Bryan on business today.

P. Summerville and T. C. Parker will go to Houston this afternoon to attend a business meeting of the Tennessee National Insurance Co., of Nashville, Tenn.

Aubrey Wilson has returned to Mergar, Texas, after attending the cotton classing school at the A. & M. College and visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. D. Conlee.

Mrs. Rose Wigley has returned to her home in Shreveport, La., after spending a month in Marlin and stopping over in Bryan for a short visit to her sister, Mrs. W. S. Collard. She was accompanied home by Miss Willie Mae Collard.

F. W. Hensel of College was a business visitor in Bryan Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Maret and Master Marvin Baker, Jr., have returned to their home at Marshall after visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCaghen and other relatives in this city.

GARDNER FAMILY HELD PLEASANT REUNION

The Gardner family reunion, held Saturday afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn on the Dunn ranch in the northern part of the county was an occasion of more than unusual interest and pleasure.

Mrs. Dunn was a Miss Gardner and called into her hospitable home this happy reunion of the family in honor of her brother, J. R. Gardner and wife of Norfolk, Va., who are now on a visit to Texas.

The venerable parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gardner, of Hearne, were present to enjoy this delightful occasion, and with their sons and daughters and the thirteen grandchildren present, were the central figures in the happy group assembled.

At sunset a delicious supper with all the good things to eat that can be imagined, was spread for the guests and enjoyed to the fullest. After supper the grandchildren sang the good old songs of the long ago, while the grownups listened and in memory lived over again their own happy childhood together in the old home.

A watermelon feast on the lawn later in the evening completed the pleasant affair and good byes were said until another such reunion shall bring them together again.

Beside Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gardner, of Hearne, there were also present, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gardner of Norfolk, Va., Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Gardner of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gardner and children of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parker and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Mathews and children of Hearne, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDowell and daughter, Dorothy, and Mrs. Johnson of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powers of Bryan.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

As Shown By Eagle Files

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Edge returned from a visit to the Fruit Palace at Tyler.

J. Allen Myers announced that August Jahn, a tinner of 25 years experience was in charge of his tin shop. (Mr. Jahn is still in business in Bryan and is in the employ of the Cole Hardware Co.)

A pleasant social gathering of young people was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kernole.

Mrs. Luther, mother of Sam Luther of the Leonard school community was buried.

J. E. Mathis and J. T. Jones of Reliance were in the city. (Capt Mathis is still living, while Mr. Jones has been dead a number of years.)

Dr. J. W. Howell and party and C. F. Moore, who had gone to Mexico on a pleasure trip had become disgusted with conditions there, and not being able to get anything good to eat, had returned to San Antonio.

Col. A. Hill and Constable J. E. Farquhar were in the city from Wellborn.

Dr. Nix was in from Stone City. Dr. Nix succeeded Dr. Tom Erwin in that locality.

Elton Stuart resigned as local circulator for the Dallas-Galveston News and his place was taken by Walter Davis.

Dr. Robert M. Campbell, twin brother of Mrs. George E. Clothier, died at Newton, Texas.

Lum Holden, captain of the Tabor baseball nine was in town and called on the Eagle. Capt. Holden was in town to see about the uniforms that were being made for the members of the Tabor Club.

Good rains were reported for the past three days and everybody was smiling and happy.

The young people of the city enjoyed themselves to an unusual degree at a reception tendered them by Sheriff and Mrs. T. C. Nunn.

Uncle Mark Wilcox brought to the Eagle office from his farm near Tabor, a sample of dry weather kafir corn, the head of which was 14 inches long and well fruited.

T. P. Cook of Wellborn lost a fine horse, killed by lightning.

J. E. Butler returned from an extended summer trip.

The Bryan gun club and the Brazos bottom club held a shoot in Bryan, the Bryan team winning. The shooters were J. K. Parker, B. L. Reed, J. M. Gordon, W. W. Gainer and G. S. Parker.

A. A. Wyse was down from Dallas on a visit to his brothers.

Will Zulch was over from Willow Hole, Madison county, and called on the Eagle. He was anxious for an extension of the telephone line from Kartan to Willow Pole.

W. B. Royall of College called on the Eagle.

Mrs. L. H. Tucker and son Beverley, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Palmer went to Hadley lake on a fishing trip.

Ed Heslip, Jack Ragsdale and Tola Oliver were over from Caldwell.

W. Gillie Mitchell returned from Richmond, Va., and Washington, D. C., and said no man that ever lived had a better time than he did.

John McGorquodale and Judge J. A. Buckhaults went to Galveston.

Misses Mary Lou and Minnie Thomas of Navasota, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanders.

General News

Joe Bailey, then in congress declined unanimous renomination by his district, the Fifth, because of differences with W. J. Bryan, the democratic nominee for president.

Queen Victoria celebrated the 59th year of her reign as queen of England.

The populist party was opposed to an endorsement of W. J. Bryan at the St. Louis convention. Senator Peffer of Kansas was then the populist leader.

General Porfirio Diaz was reelected president of Mexico.

An attempt was made to assassinate President Faure of France.

Prof. Langley's flying machine was given a test and made good. The machine had three planes, very similar to the bi-planes of today and had two propellers driven by steam instead of gasoline.

Illinois sound money men were not satisfied with the nomination of W. J. Bryan and his free silver doctrine, and started a movement for another convention.

Malvern, Arkansas, was fire swept, the entire business district being burned. The loss was estimated at \$400,000.

W. J. Bryan, democratic nominee for president was given a great reception upon his return to his old home at Lincoln, Nebraska.

Barney Gibbs announced that he would be in Bryan on July 26th with W. F. Douthitt of Bell county. Hon. R. L. Henry of Waco was invited to come down and divide time with them.

Want Ad Department

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Five room residence practically new, garage and store. Address J. L. Broach, Tabor, Texas.

FOR SALE—The George Williams 1450 acre home place, 10 miles from Bryan; 500 acres open land; balance timber. Good six room house; deep well; good barn; 8 tenant houses. Price \$20.00 per acre. Terms. J. W. Batts. 3t-w-pd.

LOST—Books and papers with Robert Ellis on them. Please leave at Eagle office.

WANTED—Young men to come to the Sherman Auto & Tractor School to become trained mechanics. Write Dept. 26, Sherman, Texas.

The Eagle is still receiving "fillers," not for the columns of the paper, but for the inner man in the form of large, luscious and juicy melons, cantaloupes and peaches. We faint would repeat the old injunction—"Never weary in well doing."

\$10

Premium for first bale of new cotton that is brought to Bryan.

Bryan Cotton Oil and Fertilizer Co.

A Home Institution

A TAVOR WATERMELON

(From Friday's Daily)

The Eagle was "shown or pointed out" an immense and imposing dark-green Tabor, Brazos county, watermelon this morning. Of course we imagine under the dark green, rich and striped rind there was great rolls and flakes of luscious meat and a "heart" that would melt in one's mouth provided he had the money to pay the price. In these days we are now enjoying their reign. We are rejoicing that these great, big Brazos county products are on the market. When there are peaches, beans, watermelons, roasting ears, tomatoes, fruits and vegetables and other things in abundance on sale it shows that everybody has a chance to get some of the real things in life.

This big 65-pound Tabor watermelon reminds us of a story we once heard about the luscious Tom Watson melons of Georgia. This Tabor melon is no doubt as large as any ever grown. But to the story: "In 1896 when Mark Hanna was the political dictator of the United States and was a candidate for United States senator from Ohio to carry out the McKinley policies he entertained the National Group when it met in Ohio. There were about 3,000 farmers from all over the United States present and the banquet was all that could be asked. In those days cotton was five cents per pound; corn was twenty-five cents a bushel and a 65-pound watermelon was twenty-five cents. After the banquet the waiters appeared with an immense slice of watermelon on a plate and served the 3,000 guests. There was disappointment and chagrin. The farmers had plenty of watermelon at home and did not care to go to a banquet given by Mark Hanna and eat melon. They wanted plum pudding that would burn or tutti-frutti ice cream in red, white and blue condensations. Finally one old fellow "forked" a piece or the "deep red melon." He tasted it suspiciously. Others sat in their seats as if paralyzed for several moments and stared at the melon. The old fellow suddenly carved another piece of the melon and ate it with a smack of his lips. Then the next man "tasted," quickly "tasted" again in even a larger slice. Others made a like onslaught and presently there was a click of the forks and everybody leaned over the table with bowed heads and ravenously and rapaciously ate the Georgia watermelon to the scrap and the very rind. It was a remarkable sight and it was described to the writer by a newspaper reporter who attended the banquet. He said he looked over the vast assemblage as they were eating the melon and he saw hundreds of men eating the melon with one hand and putting the seed in their vest pockets with the other. The band was playing the "Conquering Hero Comes" and everybody was patting their feet to keep time to the music. "There were no seeds; and no melon left and precious little of the rind," we were told. The night before the banquet Mark Hanna had 600 big melons placed in the ice vault and at night "plugged" every one of them and poured in a \$5.00 quart bottle of real Mumm's Extra Dry Champagne which was absorbed by the luscious meat. Such a melon now properly adjusted and lubricated as Mark Hanna did on that banquet occasion in Ohio would cost \$100 or more. And this Tabor, Brazos county melon we saw this morning in Bryan will meet the melon issue in every detail.

CARRANZA MONEY IS AT LOW EBB

(By Associated Press)

Nogales, Ariz., July 21.—Newsboys here think nothing of getting \$100 in Mexican currency issued by Carranza for a copy of the regular edition of the evening newspaper. They languidly settle arguments and wagers with \$1,000 bets in banknotes. Carranza has their pockets stuffed with the crisp paper money and throw it about like overnight millions.

The notes are a part of the billion Carranza issued in paper money and then repudiated.

VILLA IS WRITING HIS LIFE STORY

El Paso, Tex., July 21.—Francisco Villa, the Mexican bandit, whose raid on Columbus, N. M., took General Pershing and United States soldiers on his trail into Mexico is writing the story of his life, and has it completed to date, he recently told an American newspaper man who interviewed him at his camp.

Villa said the book would not be published until after his death. Villa in talking of the book said it would tell in detail of the manner in which he eluded General Pershing.

TEXAS CHAMBER COMMERCE TO MEET IN DALLAS

A meeting has been called at the Texas Chamber of Commerce in Dallas on July 22, for a careful study of the possibilities of putting on a campaign in the several large cities of the State for the purpose of giving information concerning the food value of milk and its products and to encourage their more liberal use.

On July 9th a conference was held in Austin at which representatives of the Home Economics Department of the State University, the State Department of Education, State Health Department, Home Economic Department of the Extension Service A. & M. College of Texas, and J. Lynn Thomas, dairy husbandman Extension Service A. & M. College, of Texas, representing the dairy industry, were present, and made a careful study of the feasibility of putting on such a campaign which resulted in the calling of the meeting to be held in Dallas, July 22. It was the general consensus of the Austin conference that such a campaign will result in better living and better health especially for the children.

Campaigns of this kind have been the means of increasing the consumption of milk from twenty to thirty per cent in several cities where they have been put on, and it is believed that similar results can be obtained in Texas, according to a statement made by Mr. Thomas when interviewed on the subject.

SOME "PUNKIN"

C. G. Walker has on exhibit at his store a monster kershaw, raised by a farmer near Wheelock, weight 53 1/2 pounds, 3 feet 1 inch long and 3 feet 6 inches around base.

Anyway Texas will not have over five members of President Cox's cabinet. That should not cause us to faint to enjoy the 60-pound Brazos county watermelons.

Don't forget the real slogan: "Buy It In Bryan."